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## Announce Engagement



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### DIANN JEAN CABRAL

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Cabral of 90 Royal St., Agawam, announce the engagement of their daughter, Diann Jean, to Albert Peckham, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peckham, Sr., of Randall St., Agawam.

Miss Cabral, a graduate of Agawam High School is employed by the Monarch Life Insurance Co.

Her fiancé, also a graduate of Agawam High School is employed by Ace Auto Body.

A June 21 wedding is planned.

## Agawam Lions Club St. Patrick's Day Corned Beef-Cabbage Supper Sat.

General Chairman Frank Chriscola, Jr., announces that final plans have been made for the St. Patrick's Day Corned Beef and Cabbage supper which will be held at the Agawam Junior High School on March 15, with

continuous servings from 5-7 p.m.

Mr. Chriscola has appointed John Galica as co-chairman, and Fran Scanlon as honorary chairman, along with the following

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## Junior High Parents Night March 12

Mr. Charles L. Kistner, principal at Agawam Junior High School, has announced that on Wednesday evening, March 12, the Junior High school will hold its second parents' night.

Although certain parents have been asked to attend, all are cordially invited to visit with the teachers of their children.

Teachers will be in their rooms from 7 to 9 p. m. or until each visitor has had a chance to talk to them. The principal, assistant principal, and guidance counselor will also be in attendance.

## Local Lite-A-Bike Program Under Way

Post #1632 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of Agawam has started on the Lite a Bike Program in conjunction with the Agawam Police Department.

Past Commander Brady Snyder is chairman of the project being assisted by P. C. Richard Adelman, Sr. Vice Commander Adolph C. Netkovich, Quartermaster Wilfred H. Bissonnette and Safety Officer Harold Burnett of the Agawam Police Dept.

Plans are already on the way to have all bicycles in the town registered by the Police Dept., at the same time that the Lite A

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## Invitation to Local Senior Citizens

THURSDAY, MARCH 6th  
Performance 7 P.M.

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## 10 Million Dollar Project To Be Acted Upon At Town Meeting

Gastown, Inc., owners and operators of service stations, office buildings and shopping centers, disclosed complete plans for Southgate Village, a ten million dollar adult residential communi-

ty of luxury Townhouse Apartments, to be located at the corner of South and Suffield Sts., Agawam, formerly Bonomi Twin Brook Farm.

It has been voted on favorable by the Agawam Business and Industrial Development Committee, and has been recommended by the Planning Board for approval at the town meeting March 8.

Upon completion, Southgate Village will contribute in excess of \$300,000 taxes per year to the Town of Agawam and initially pay approximately \$85,000 for sewer and water connections. Southgate Shopping Plaza will also be built in conjunction with this project.

Southgate will feature nine separate townhouse villages within its total area, in addition to complete community recreation facilities and area. The basic "Colonial" style architecture will be varied throughout the com-

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## Plans March Bridal



### NANCY F. LANGEVIN

Loring Studios

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Langevin of Thalia Drive, Feeding Hills, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nancy F., to Gary W. Schneider, son of Fire Chief and Mrs. Harry W. Schneider of 84 Oak Hill Ave., Agawam.

The couple plan a March 15th wedding.

Miss Langevin, a graduate of Agawam High School is employed by Sears & Roebuck Co., West Springfield.

Her fiancé, also a graduate of Agawam High School is a Quartermaster in the Coast Guard on the Cutter Bittersweet stationed at Ketchikan, Alaska.

Following the wedding the couple will return to Alaska.

## SDPW To Extend Rte. 57 Relocation

State Dept. of Public Works Commissioner Edward J. Ribbs today assured Rep. Walter T. Kerr of Agawam that the DPW will proceed with the necessary engineering to extend the relocation of Route 57 West of Mill St., in Agawam.

In a meeting in Boston attended by DPW Associate Commissioner Charles A. Bisbee, Jr., of Chesterfield and Deputy Chief Engineer Charles E. Whitcomb, Rep. Kerr was briefed on the current planning status and future plans for the route.

Commissioner Ribbs said that the new highway will be planned as a controlled access twin-roadway divided highway. When plans are sufficiently developed a public hearing will be held in Agawam.

## Southgate Village — Planned Adult Residential Community



The above rendering shows the basic style of architecture which will be used throughout Southgate Village. The arrangement of the nine community units within the village will create a series of

intimate areas for relaxation and recreation.

By limiting the dwelling area to 10 per cent per acre, Gastown officials have created an effective

blend of interior and open spaces.

Gastown, Inc., has already made substantial investments in Agawam, including their new automobile service center on the

corner of South and Suffield Streets. The filling station has been completely renovated and remodeled.

In addition, Southgate Plaza shopping center is being devel-

oped, and will be conveniently located to serve the needs of all residents of the area. This center will be similar to the shopping center Gastown, Inc., now owns in Palmer, Mass.

## CHURCH NEWS

### AGAWAM METHODIST CHURCH

459 Mill Street, Agawam  
Rev. Kenneth Thornton, Minister  
Mrs. Kenneth Alexander, Organist  
Mrs. Marshall Keyes,  
Sanctuary Choir Director  
Mrs. Kenneth Alexander,  
Junior/Youth Choir Director  
Friday — 6:15 p.m. Bowling  
Teams at Westside.  
Sunday—9:30 a.m. The Church  
at Worship: Nursery for infants.  
Church School in session until  
10:45 a.m. 10:30 a.m. Fellowship  
Hour; 6 p.m. Youth Group.

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### BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Benjamin Lockhart, Pastor  
Mrs. Ruth Daniels, Organist  
Mrs. Nancy Lund, Choir Director  
Mrs. Barbara Briggs,  
Church Secretary

Thursday: 7:30 p. m. Senior  
Choir rehearse at church.  
Friday — 7:30 p.m. A World  
Day of Prayer Service will be  
held in St. Anthony's Church.

Sunday—9:30 a.m. Morning  
Worship—Rev. Donald Ellis  
of the American Baptist Con-  
vention will be the guest speaker.  
Rev. Lockhart will guide the wor-  
ship service. . . Senior Choir sing  
and Pastor will talk to children;  
10:30 a.m. Church School; 3 p.m.  
School of Missions.

Monday—7:30 p.m. Church  
Nominating Committee meet in  
Pastor's study.

Tuesday—6:30 p.m. Mother -  
Daughter banquet in Bodurtha  
Hall.

Wednesday: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
and 7 to 9 p.m. Trading Post  
open.

Saturday, March 8, the Senior  
BYF will continue their paper  
drive in the community. If you  
have papers to be picked up  
please call 739-3029 or 739-5958.

### FEEDING HILLS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

21 North Westfield St.  
Rev. Arthur N. Sweeney,  
Minister

Randall L. Nofall, Organist  
Cynthia A. Meyer, Choir Director

Thursday—7 p.m. Senior Choir  
has been cancelled for this week.  
Friday—7:30 p.m. World Day  
of Prayer Service—all faiths in  
St. Anthony's Church, Maple St.,  
Agawam.

Sunday—10 a.m. Church School  
for grades nursery through 6th;  
10 a.m. Worship Service. Mem-  
bers of the Girl Scouts with their  
leaders will be present and will  
also sing the anthems.

Monday — 6:30 p.m. Church  
School classes for grades 7, 8,  
9th; 7:30 p.m. Board of Deacons  
and Deaconesses in the Spear  
Room.

Tuesday — 7:30 p.m. the fifth  
session of the Family Life series.  
The topic is: "Sex and the aFm-  
ily." A film presentation, follow-  
ed by discussion led by Dr. Le-  
roy J. Kendrew. Refreshments.

### SACRED HEART CHURCH

FEEDING HILLS  
Rev. George Linse, C.S.S.  
Rev. James Shea, C.S.S.

Saturday—4:30 and 7:30 p.m.  
Confessions.

Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 11:30  
a. m. Masses.

Tuesday—7:30 p.m. Miraculous  
Medal Novena Devotions.

### ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

Rev. Samuel Fayad, C.S.S.,  
Rev. Joseph Mantia, C.S.S.

Saturday—4 to 5 p.m. and 7:30  
to 8:30 p.m. confessions.

**MASS SCHEDULE**  
Sundays—7, 8:30, 10:30 a.m.  
and 5:30 p.m.

Week days—7 a.m. and 5:30  
p.m.

Holy days—7 and 9 a.m., 5:30  
and 7:30 p.m.

Tuesdays—7:30 p.m. St. An-  
thony Devotions.

### ST. DAVID'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. John S. Tuler, Vicar

Thursday—7 p.m. Boy Scout  
Troop #79 meets in parish hall.

Friday — 3:15 p.m. Junior  
choir practices at the church.

Sunday—8 a.m. Holy Commu-  
nion; 10 a.m. Holy Communion;  
7 p.m. Evening Prayer and Youth  
Fellowship.

Wednesday—9 a.m. Mid-week  
Prayer and Communion service;  
7:30 p.m. Senior choir practice.

### ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH

Rev. Walter J. Joyce  
Rev. Albert Blanchard

Saturday — Confessions 4 to  
5:45 and 7:30 to 9 p.m.

**MASS SCHEDULE**  
Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 10:30,  
11:45 a.m.

Tuesday—5:30 p.m., Mass fol-  
lowed by Miraculous Medal No-  
vena.

### ST. THERESA OF INFANT JESUS CHURCH

Rev. Paul Bernard  
**MASS SCHEDULE**

Daily Mass—7 a.m.

Saturday—8 a.m. Mass — 4:30  
and 7:30 Confessions.

Sunday — 7, 9 and 11 a.m.  
Mass.

### BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Upper Church and Second Sts.  
West Springfield, Mass.

Larry Thornton, Pastor

Sunday—9:45 a.m. Bible School  
for all ages; 11 a.m. Morning  
worship service. Supervised nur-  
sery service available upstairs  
in the church during both Bible  
School and morning service; 7  
p.m. Evening Service.

Wednesday — 7:30 p.m. Mid-  
week prayer meeting and Bible  
study.

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fellowship with the General Assn.  
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### VALLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH

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ceed in Business Without Really  
Trying," which is being directed  
and produced by Darcy Davis,  
AHS musical director.

Leads are being played by Bill  
Barker and Denise Hawkins. Oth-  
er leading roles are being taken  
by Wayne LaRiviere, playing Mr.  
Gatch, Don Lederer as chairman  
of the board of the World Wide  
Wicket Company, and David  
Neill, who portrays Mr. Taacka-  
berry. Brenda Boldebook is Smi-  
ty and Dennis Biagetti plays  
Twimble. Other roles have gone  
to Allison Fuller, Alan Edwards,  
John Scherpa, Jim Gibson, Kathy  
Ryer, Mike Conolly and Kris  
Raschi.

The dramatic coaching is being  
done by Mrs. Sypek and Mrs.  
Brown, with the assistance of  
student director Bill Barker. Oth-  
er faculty helping the production  
include: Miss Schilling, art work  
and posters; Mr. Bale, set con-  
struction and stage crew; Mrs.  
Wuesthoff, chorus director and  
voice coach; Mr. Heyl, program  
and refreshments; Mr. Donovan,  
tickets; Mr. Merallo, ticket  
printing; Mr. Pressey, crew and  
equipment; Mrs. Nowak, cos-  
tumes, and Mr. Pulaski, photog-  
raphy. Choreography is again be-  
ing done by Dominique of the  
Dominique School of Dance.

Tickets are on sale for all  
nights at the school and at the  
door. Friday and Saturday nights  
seats are reserved. Get tickets  
soon for an enjoyable evening.

**COMING EVENTS:** Yearbook  
will be on time this year. . . Mod-  
el Congress to be held the end  
of this month. . . Senior College  
acceptances coming in. . . Student  
Government Day soon. . .

## Ten Million . . .

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munity to avoid sameness and  
repetition and at the same time  
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beauty of the terrain and land-  
scape.

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less than 10% of the total area  
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complex is of particular interest.  
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pool, tennis courts, and equipment  
and facilities for an entire range  
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around a swimming pool, tennis,  
volleyball, basketball, badminton  
and tennis courts. A jogging  
track is also in the plans for the  
warmer months, plus, quiet, se-  
cluded areas with tables and fire-  
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# St. John's "Come Back To Erin" Irish Show Set For March 14



FRED DESJARLAIS, Accompanist

Final plans have been completed for "Come Back To Erin," Irish show to be presented on Friday, March 14, at Agawam High School under the sponsorship of St. John the Evangelist Guild. Proceeds of the show will benefit St. John's Church.

Carrying out the St. Patrick Day theme throughout the production are close to 200 people involved either on stage or behind the scenes, all working toward the success of the show. Rehearsing since early January, the show has two more rehearsals, one on Sunday, the 9th, and dress rehearsal on Thursday, March 13 at the High School.

Mrs. Thomas Danford, general chairman, announced today that Senior Citizens and children's tickets will be half price and will be available at the Box Office the night of the show. Harry Williams is show director, Fred Desjarlais, accompanist and Buddy Baker will be featured on the drums. Rev. Walter Joyce, pastor of St. John's Church, Rev. Albert Blanchard and Mrs. John Tanner, president of the Church Guild are honorary chairmen.

Rev. Benjamin Lockhart, pastor of Agawam Baptist Church will appear in a cameo performance. Soloists: are Art Kelliher, Herman Henry, Robert Griffin, Mrs. Clifford Lagassee, Larry Champagne, Thomas Wyatt and Allen Tanner. Dancers are: Mrs. Kay D'Amato, Kathy Carney, Aprille Query, Maureen Lancaster, Ellen Daley, Joan and Pat Leary, Ginny Roberts, Karen Pfau, Natasha Konolov, Ann Marie Houlihan, Sandra Lockery, Darlene Sinay and Sheryl Lowell.

Agawam Elementary School Band under the direction of Mrs. Sally Lowell will present several musical selections. Agawam Promenaders will feature Tino and Anita Davilli, John and Marge Ferrero, Elaine and Al Taupier, Ed and Teddy Moriarty, Lindy and Dick Davis and Peggy and Bob Shoemaker, in a series of Irish dances with Al Bessette as caller.

Fred Desjarlais, who is ac-

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companionist for the show will present songs and impersonations. Edson Ferrell will greet arrivals with Irish organ music.

Erin School of Dancing will present Kathy Finnerty, Mary Ellen Shea, Sheila Lynch, Brian Mulvagh, Ann Marie Cahill and Darlene Gill in Irish jigs and Reels. Mrs. Kay D'Amato who is featured in the "Too Tired" number will wear a costume that is 175 years old. Mrs. Anna Henry, president of Robinson Senior Citizens Club, Chicopee will play a featured role in the "Shanty Town" number.

The general public is invited to attend with tickets available at the door. One performance only, Friday, March 14 at 8 p. m. sharp.

## Career Conferences For March at AHS

Mr. David Skolnick, Guidance Director at Agawam High School announce the following Career Conferences at the high school for March. The conferences are held in the school auditorium at eight in the morning for interested students and faculty.

Passes should be obtained from Guidance Office day before conference choice.

Friday, March 7—Champlain College, guest speaker, Verne L. McDonald, Jr., Director of Admissions, Champlain College, Burlington, Vt.

Wednesday, March 12—Mansfield Beauty Academy, with Mr. Daniel Dorian, Director, Mansfield Beauty Academy, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, March 19—Opportunities Available at FBI, with Special Agent Michael Stuart, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Springfield, Mass.

Wednesday, March 26—A Career in the Pharmaceutical Industry, Mr. Edward Gallerani, proprietor, Edwards Drug Store, Agawam, will be guest speaker.

## UNICO Supper

### Tremendous Success

General chairman, Francis Capitanio, and co-chairman, Joe Masucci, announced at the post dinner meeting of the Agawam Chapter of UNICO that the Feb. 27th, macaroni supper was a tremendous success. Mr. Capitanio reported that over 1200 dinners were served and again the support by the townspeople was phenomenal.

President, Gus Bartolucci, general chairman, Francis Capitanio and all the members of the Agawam Chapter of UNICO would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who attended and supported this annual fund raising dinner.

We will look forward to serving you again next year.

## Local Garden Club

### Meeting Mar. 11

The March meeting of the Agawam Garden Club will be held on Tuesday evening, the 11th, at the Capt. Charles Leonard House, at 7:45. The program will be in the form of a round table discussion on the "Nature of a Conservation Commission." The principal leader will be Mrs. Raymond Longley, asst. Chairman of the Springfield Conservation Commission assisted by Mrs. Robert Bohlke, of Hampden Conservation Commission.

The Town of Agawam has a Conservation Commission appointed by the selectmen, and appointments will be made April first. Anyone interested in Con-

servation of our open areas in Agawam is invited to attend. Mrs. Natalie George, president, will conduct the business meeting, and Mrs. Lucy Vogt has arranged with her committee for refreshments.

## Folk Mass Friday

### At St. Francis Chapel

The Christian Youth Challenge will sponsor the 7:30 p.m. Folk Mass at Saint Francis Chapel, Bridge Street, this Friday, March 7th. The Saint Mary High School Glee Club from Westfield will sing at the Mass and will be the guests of the teenage members of the C.Y.C. after the

Mass in the Chapel auditorium. Saint Mary High School Glee Club is under the direction of Sister Catherine Joseph of the Sisters of Saint Joseph. The group was organized in 1959 as a concert group.

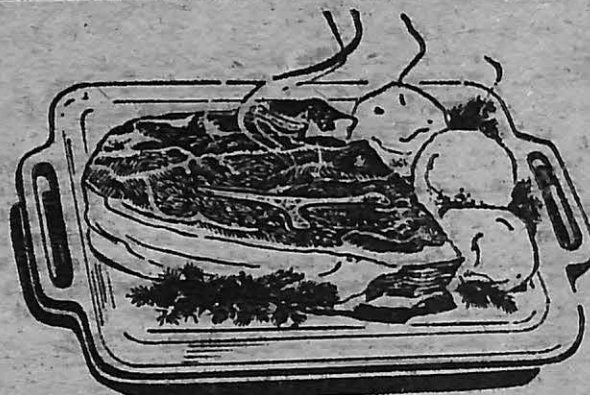
All teenagers are invited to attend the Folk Mass this Friday at the Chapel and to meet the members of the Glee Club and C.Y.C. Further information may be obtained from Father Peter Kaseta at the Chapel.

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## Girl Scout Week

Girl Scouts of the U. S. A. will celebrate their 57th birthday on March 12, 1969, during National Girl Scout Week — March 9-15. Founded in 1912 in Savannah, Georgia, American Girl Scouting has grown up with the nation. The theme of the organization for the years 1966-69, "Values to Hold, Worlds to Explore," represents values held constant for almost 60 years—but expressed each day, month, and year in a modern and timely way.

Today's Girl Scouts work against poverty and inequality; last year the organization's National Board of Directors voted to support the major goal objectives of the Report of the National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders. The 3.5 million members express their beliefs—their values—through service in their own and neighboring communities, in schools, libraries, centers, hospitals, parks, or whatever goodwill and dedication can be useful.

Let's wish them a heartfelt "Happy Birthday" during their week.

### Life-A-Bike . . .

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Bike program is underway.

This project involves a great deal of work by the VFW and the Police Dept. Just as soon as the weather becomes agreeable, the program will start and the

dates will be announced in all the papers.

The planning of this program is now in high gear and you can be assured that the Town of Agawam will have the safest bike riders anywhere, thanks to Post #1632 Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Police Dept. of Agawam.



March 10

through

March 14

#### SENIOR HIGH

Monday: Juice, bologna/cheese on water roll, buttered corn, peanut butter sandwiches, wacky cake, milk.

Tuesday: Meat loaf w/creole sauce, buttered carrots, mashed potatoes, bread/butter, peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Pizza burger, garden salad w/spinach greens, peanut butter sandwiches, assorted fruit pies, milk.

Thursday: Juice, frankfurts on buttered roll, buttered green beans, cheese sticks, yellow cake w/butter icing, milk.

Friday: Juice, Tuna fish salad on roll, cheese sticks, buttered peas, peanut butter sandwiches, apple crisp, milk.

#### JUNIOR HIGH

Monday: Juice, sloppy Joe on bun, buttered carrots, sliced peaches, cookie, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, ham/cheese roll, buttered corn, butter cake w/chocolate sauce, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, hamburger on bun w/cheese, buttered green beans, applesauce, butter cookie, milk.

Thursday: Juice, homemade beef stew w/vegetables, bread/butter sandwiches, raisin carrot cake, milk.

Friday: Juice, grilled cheese sandwiches, baked beans, cabbage carrot salad, jello w/topping, milk.

#### DANAHY

Monday: Juice, hamburger on buttered bun, buttered corn, orange blossom cake, milk.

Tuesday: Chicken soup w/rice and vegetables, meat or peanut butter sandwiches, cookies, fresh fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Macaroni w/meat tomato sauce, buttered green beans, bread/butter, cheese wedge peaches, milk.

Thursday: Hamburg gravy on mashed potatoes, buttered broccoli, bread/butter, fruited jello, milk.

Friday: Juice, egg salad sandwich, peanut butter sandwich, potato chips, carrots, lemon square, cheese wedge, milk.

#### GRANGER

Monday: Juice, hamburger gravy, mashed potato, whole kernel corn, bread/butter, white cake w/chocolate frosting, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, bologna/cheese in water roll, potato chips, diced carrots, pumpkin pie, milk.

Wednesday: Shell macaroni w/meat tomato sauce, buttered green beans, bread/butter, pineapple, milk.

Thursday: Juice, grilled hamburger on roll, relish, catsup, onions, cheese cube, vegetables, spice cake, milk.

Friday: Tomato soup, celery carrot sticks, ½ hardboiled egg, peanut butter/jelly sandwich, cookies, orange wedges, milk.

#### PEIRCE

Monday: Hamburg gravy on whipped potatoes, buttered peas/carrots, peanut butter honey sandwich, orange fruited jello w/topping, milk.

Tuesday: Meat balls in sauce, buttered steamed rice, buttered green beans, cheese squares, bread/butter, tangerine/pineapple tidbits, milk.

Wednesday: Orange juice, baked pork sausage loaf, buttered sliced potatoes, buttered beets, hot corn bread, chocolate cake w/butter icing, milk.

Thursday: Beef pot pie w/potato topping, buttered leaf spinach, cheese or peanut butter sandwich, applesauce, milk.

Friday: Orange juice, tuna sail boat, buttered kernel corn, carrot sticks, raisin coffee cake, milk.

#### PHELPS

Monday: Chicken vegetable soup, peanut butter jelly sandwiches, cheese sticks, orange wedges, cookies, milk.

Tuesday: Elbow macaroni w/meat sauce, cabbage carrot salad, bread/butter, peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, browned meat gravy w/vegetable, mashed potatoes, carrots, bread/butter, chocolate cake, milk.

Thursday: Hamburg on buttered roll, relish, onion slices, candied sweet potatoes, buttered green beans, mixed fruit, milk.

Friday: Juice, tuna burger on roll, garden salad, apple crisp w/cheese wedge, milk.

#### ROBINSON PARK

Monday: Hamburg gravy on mashed potatoes, buttered broccoli, bread/butter, fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday: Orange juice, hamburger on buttered roll, catsup, buttered carrots, potato chips, cheese sticks, marble cake w/butter frosting, milk.

Wednesday: Shell macaroni w/meat sauce, buttered green beans, bread/butter, applesauce, milk.

Thursday: Citrus juice, pizza w/cheese sauce, beet salad, peanut butter sandwich, fruit, milk.

Friday: Tomato soup w/crackers, raw vegetables, egg salad sandwich, cookies, fresh fruit, milk.

#### SOUTH

Monday: Orange juice, steamed franks on buttered roll, mustard, relish, cheese sticks, buttered carrots, citrus fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday: Meat ball grinders w/spaghetti sauce, buttered spinach, deep dish cherry squares, milk.

Wednesday: Orange juice, hot open chicken sandwich w/gravy, buttered peas w/corn, cranberry sauce, spice cake w/butter frosting, milk.

Thursday: Italian spaghetti w/meat tomato sauce, buttered Vienna bread, ABC salad, orange citrus jello w/topping, milk.

Friday: Citrus juice, tomato rice soup w/crackers, celery sticks, grilled cheese on rye, fresh fruit, sugar cookie, milk.

### Peirce School PTA

#### To Meet March 12

The Peirce School Parent Teachers Association will hold their March meeting Wednesday evening the 12th at 7:30 at the school.

Guest speaker for the evening will be Mrs. Georgiana Childs, who was awarded 1968 "Teacher of the Year" by Grade Magazine. Her topic will be "How to Help Your Children in School." She believes that parents can definitely help guide their children to a better education.

Mrs. Childs is presently a first grade teacher at Stoney Hill School in Wilbraham, also teaches additional special courses and is well known in the state for her talks on education.

Mrs. Barbara Skolnick, principal, is extending a special invitation to pre-school parents who will find this talk of special interest. All Peirce parents are urged to attend.

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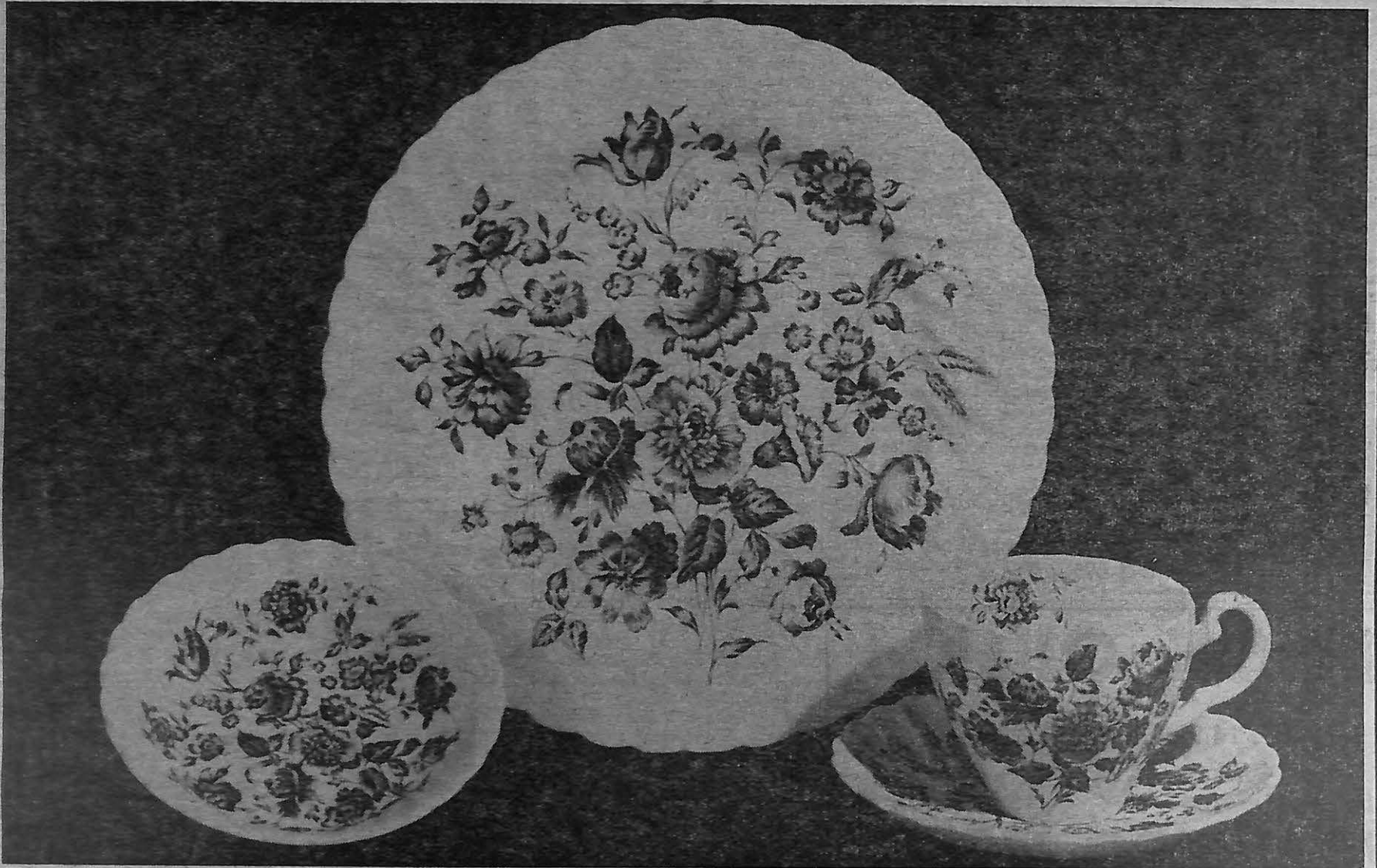
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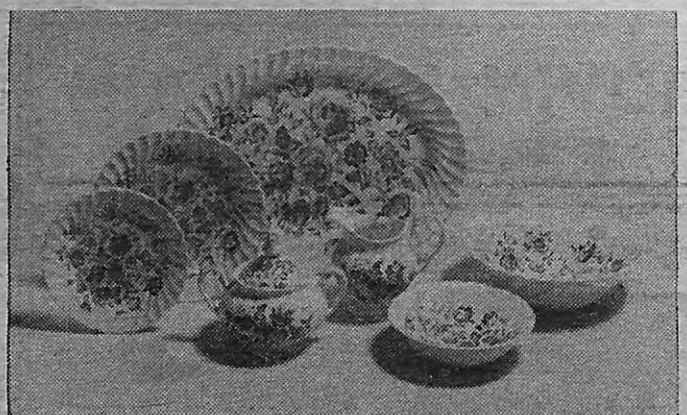
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## SPORTSMEN'S CORNER



By BILL CHIBA

Gun registration and gun control are still popular fettle with the politician in Washington, D. C., Sen. Wallace F. Bennett (Utah), joined by 24 colleagues in the senate, has introduced S.845 to remove an ineffectual and burdensome set of regulations imposed upon American sportsmen by the Gun Control Act of 1968. The bill, referred 2/4/69 to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary, would amend the definition of ammunition to substitute one cleared by the Comm. on the Judiciary last year. The bill would define "ammunition" as including only that for a destructive device and pistol or revolver ammunition. "It shall not include shotgun shells, metallic ammunition suitable for

use only in rifles, or any .22 caliber rimfire ammunition," the bill states. Sen. Bennett said regulations imposed by the Treasury Department under existing law imposes "a clear cut case of registration," and the intent of the Congress has been misconstrued. Sen. Mike Mansfield (Mont.), has filed a bill to make mandatory a prison term if a firearm is used in the commission of a crime. The first offense would be one to ten years in prison, and for a subsequent offense, 25 years. This makes more sense than all the gun registration and licensing hogwash that is perpetrated to wipe out crime commission with a firearm.

Now we have good old Emmanuel Celler (N. Y.) and Ogden Reid (N. Y.), filing H.R. 2166 — "Federal Gun Registration and Licensing Act of 1969." This is for the purpose to protect the people of the United States against the lawless and irresponsible use of firearms, and to assist in the prevention and solution of crime by requiring a National Registration of Firearms, establishing minimum licensing standards for the possession of firearms, and encouraging the enactment of effective State and local firearms laws. This bit of garbage has failed repeatedly in N. Y. City, where the Sullivan Act is enforced. Yet Celler and Reid would foster the same on the people of the United States. They failed to point out the ridiculous cost of licensing just one firearm in N. Y. City.

The National Commission on the Causes and Prevention of Violence prepared an independent survey, and discovered that it costs the city of New York \$72.87 to process each application for a pistol permit.

The commission report, although only a "preliminary cost analysis," is the most detailed study yet made on how much firearms control programs cost. The 63 page report was made by Re-

search Associates, Inc. of Silver Spring, Maryland.

During hassles over firearms controls, both sides have made guesses at how much it costs to license a gun owner and register a firearm. The commission's detailed study on N. Y. city is the first time that "true" average dollar costs have been determined. A N. Y. police officer, who testified at recent commission hearings, told reporters that in some cases, where there was special checking for a new applicant, the cost was \$500.

The report points out that costs to New York City vary from one precinct to another. But the \$72.87 per handgun applicant is only the direct cost to the city.

The research also showed that there were many indirect costs to the applicant. In addition to the direct fee of \$20 for an applicant, he loses considerable time off from work, has transportation costs, photo costs and may suffer "gross inconvenience."

The basic research on N. Y. City, for both direct and indirect costs, has national significance. New York was the first city to have registration and licensing and has been highly touted as a model for other cities to follow.

The report does not cover one topic that sportsmen are concerned with: When a city suddenly finds out what its control program really costs, will fees be so high that the average citizen can no longer afford to own a firearm.

## Camping-Outdoor Show Children's Day Friday

The Springfield Camping and Outdoor Show will open Friday, March 7 at 2 p. m. with a ribbon cutting ceremony. Opening day will be a special event for small fry, The Melha Shriners Clowns will mingle with the crowds and give out treats for the children.

A special prize of a Junior Camping Outfit will be drawn in mid-evening. All children under 12, accompanied by an adult will be eligible, and do not have to be present at the time of the drawing.

The Hosage Indians and the "Happy Wonderers" will entertain on stage, also feature will be Bill Riviere, Maine Guide and Outdoorsman, along with Smokey the Bear.

The show will run Saturday March 8 from 10 to 10 and Sunday, March 9, from 1 to 8:30. Hourly door prizes will be given and everyone viewing the show are eligible for the three major prizes drawn on Sunday night, which are a 18-foot Travel trailer, a tent trailer with accessories and a tent with accessories.

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### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

March 3, 1969  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 133 of the General Laws, that the Forty-niner, Inc., d/b/a The Elbow, Michael T. Kane, Mgr., has applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: Seasonal All Alcoholic as a Common Victualer at 386 Walnut St. Ext., in a one story building consisting of Bar, Dining Area, Kitchen and Storage space.

EDWARD W. CONNELLY  
GEORGE L. REYNOLDS  
JOSEPH DELLA-GIUSTINA  
Licensing Board  
(March 6)

### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

March 3, 1969  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 133 of the General Laws, that the West Springfield Fish and Game Club, Inc., Albert J. Christopher, Mgr., has applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: Seasonal All Alcoholic as a Club at 329 Garden St., in a five room building. Cellar used for storage. Also including picnic grounds.

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Licensing Board  
(March 6)

### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

March 3, 1969  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 133 of the General Laws, that the Polish American Club of Agawam, Inc., Walter E. Drewnowski, Mgr., has applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: Seasonal All Alcoholic as a Club at 139 Southwick Street in building consisting of two floors; two rooms on first floor; one room on second. Storage on first floor. Also including pavilion and service building.

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Licensing Board  
(March 6)

### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

March 3, 1969  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 133 of the General Laws, that the Triangle Lounge, Inc., Anthony F. DiDonato, Mgr., has applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: Seasonal All Alcoholic as a Common Victualer at 324 Springfield Street, in building consisting of one floor, three rooms. Cellar for storage.

EDWARD W. CONNELLY  
GEORGE L. REYNOLDS  
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Licensing Board  
(March 6)

### MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in two certain mortgages given by Lewis L. Aldrich and Lucille D. Aldrich to the West Springfield Co-operative Bank, now known as United Co-operative Bank, the first dated September 9, 1954 recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book 2335, Page 241, and the second dated March 2, 1964 recorded in said Registry in Book 3013, Page 261, of which mortgages the undersigned is the present owner and holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgages and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 10 o'clock A.M. on April 1, 1969 on the mortgaged premises located at 63 High Street, Agawam, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgages, to wit: "The land with the buildings thereon, situated in Agawam, Hampden County, Massachusetts, on the Southerly side of High Street, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the Southerly side of High Street about three hundred twenty-five (325) feet Easterly of Bridge Street at the Northwesterly corner of land now or formerly of William Murphy, thence running Southerly on land now or formerly of said William Murphy about one hundred (100) feet to land formerly of J. R. Cooley, now or formerly of one Payette; thence Westerly on last named land, seventy-two (72) feet to land now or formerly of George Smith; thence Northerly on land now or formerly of said George Smith about one hundred (100) feet to said High Street; thence Easterly on High Street, seventy-two (72) feet to the place of beginning.

Subject to restrictions of record, if any are now in force and effect. Being the same premises conveyed to us by deed of Frederick F. Tomlinette, Jr. et ux dated this 21st day of September, 1954 and to be recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds simultaneously herewith.

Including as a part of the realty all portable or sectional buildings, heating apparatus, plumbing, ranges, mantels, storm doors and windows, oil burners, gas and oil and electric fixtures, screens, screen doors, awnings, electric and gas refrigerators, air conditioning apparatus, and other fixtures of whatever kind and nature, on said premises, or hereafter placed thereon prior to the full payment and discharge of this mortgage, insofar as the same are or can be a part of the realty.

The premises will be sold subject to unpaid municipal taxes assessments or liens, and any outstanding tax titles.

Five Hundred Dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale as earnest money, balance in cash on delivery of the deed within ten (10) days from date of sale. Other terms to be announced at the sale.

UNITED CO-OPERATIVE BANK  
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by: WILLIAM C. YOUNG  
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## LEGAL NOTICES

### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

March 3, 1969  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 133 of the General Laws, that the Crestview Country Club, Inc., Dr. Arthur Gold, President, has applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: Seasonal All Alcoholic as a Club at 301 Shoemaker Lane, in building consisting of two floors. One room on ground floor and four rooms on upper floor used as a dining room.

EDWARD W. CONNELLY  
GEORGE L. REYNOLDS  
JOSEPH DELLA-GIUSTINA  
Licensing Board  
(March 6)

### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

March 3, 1969  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 133 of the General Laws, that the Marchegian Club, Inc., Bruno E. Biagetti, Mgr., has applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: Seasonal All Alcoholic as a Club at 22 Hunt Street, in 29' x 62' building, main floor consisting of hall, kitchen and toilets. Cellar consisting of meeting rooms, small kitchen and toilets.

EDWARD W. CONNELLY  
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Licensing Board  
(March 6)

### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

March 3, 1969  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 133 of the General Laws, that the St. Anne Country Club, Inc., William E. Napolitano, Pres., has applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: Seasonal All Alcoholic as a Club at 781 Shoemaker Lane, building consisting of two floors; one room on each floor, cellar to be used for storage.

EDWARD W. CONNELLY  
GEORGE L. REYNOLDS  
JOSEPH DELLA-GIUSTINA  
Licensing Board  
(March 6)

### MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by WANDA M. VAUGHAN, of Feeding Hills, Hampden County, Massachusetts, to WESTFIELD SAVINGS BANK, dated June 30, 1966, and recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book 3196, Page 446, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, there will be sold at Public Auction at 11 o'clock A.M. on Thursday, March 20, 1969, on the premises hereinafter described, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage, said premises being therein described substantially as follows, to wit:

"...a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in Feeding Hills Parish, AGAWAM, Hampden County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at an iron pin set in the ground on the Westerly side of North Westfield Street at the Northeastly bound of land of one West; and running thence

WESTERLY, in a straight line along the Northerly bound of said West's land, nine hundred forty-one (941) feet to an iron pin in the ground at a brook; thence NORTHERLY, along said brook, One hundred (100) feet to another iron pin set at or near said brook; thence EASTERLY, nine hundred eighty-one (981) feet in a straight line to an iron pin set in the ground on the Westerly side of North Westfield Street at the Southeastly bound of land of one Schaedlich; and thence SOUTHERLY, along the Westerly bound of said North Westfield Street, one hundred (100) feet to the place of beginning.

Containing about 2.19 acres of land.

SUBJECT to restrictions of record if any are now in force and applicable. BEING the same premises conveyed to me by deed of Stanley A. Nelson, dated February 10, 1966 and recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds, Book 3170, Page 62.

Including as part of the realty all portable or sectional buildings at any time placed upon said premises and all elevators, pipes, oil burners, furnaces, heaters, hot water heaters, ranges, refrigerators, refrigerating apparatus, plumbing, gas and electric fixtures, screens, screen doors, storm doors and windows, mantels, shades, awnings, and all other fixtures of whatever kind and nature at present or hereafter installed in or on the granted premises which renders such articles usable in connection therewith so far as the same are or can be a part of the realty.

The above premises will be sold subject to all outstanding municipal taxes, tax titles, assessments or liens if any.

One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale as earnest money; other terms to be announced at the sale.

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One who you would be happy to have represent YOU as a group... Does he make a fine appearance? One who has the determination and sticks to something obstinately. THINK ABOUT IT...

One who is filled with decency (quote Websters Dictionary—The State or quality of being decent in words and conduct; that which is proper or seemly) and does conduct and will conduct himself as to the occasion. One who can adjust to all which comes up. THINK ABOUT IT...

One who is ambitious—eager for success, eager for honor or fame FOR the Moose. NOT himself; determined to succeed for the Moose, NOT himself; and energetic for the MOOSE. NOT for himself. One who is filled with bravery (not boastful) who will go forth and DO things for the Moose, silently. THINK ABOUT IT... THINK ABOUT IT...

### MOOSE COMMUNITY SERVICE IN ACTION

Last week we wrote about little Sylvie Quirion from Ottawa who needed so much help and because of her a fund was started. Then little Marc Tasse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tasse required a

similar open heart operation in Boston. Marc didn't survive the operation but the fund is now firmly established, under the guardianship of Moose Officers and is available for any child in the Ottawa area, requiring heart treatment or heart surgery.

Scores of such deeds of humanitarian effort are listed in the Civic Affairs reports coming from our lodges everywhere in the Moose domain. We, of Agawam helped a couple when in need after a bad accident. Caring for families, burned out of their homes, supplying clothing for a needy family, fitting a child with glasses, or hearing aid, visiting the nursing homes, are some of the few ways we can show that WE CARE. All this proves that the old adage "that which we send into the lives of others comes back into our own." Think about it...

Don't forget the meetings at

the Lodge on North Street on Tuesday nights. PLEASE be on time. See you there? MF.

### VWWI CARD PARTY WINNERS

The first card party in a new series of Whist Parties sponsored by the Veterans of World War One was held last Wednesday evening in the Agawam National Guard Armory. Winning door prizes were: Rosella Neilson, Grace Pyne, Florence Panaretas and Margaret O'Connor.

Mystery prizes were awarded to Dorilla Lucerino, Florence Steere and Mabel Miller. Ladies ace prize winner was Betty Alford and Henry Cole for the men.

The following received high score prizes: Ladies — 1st Philomenia Beauvelt, 2nd Dorilla Lucerino, 3rd Emma Piacenza, 4th Ruth Cusson; Men — 1st George Pierce, 2nd Howard Thayer, 3rd Henry Cole, 4th Walter Haggerty.

Next card party will be held at the same place... time... day... see you there!

February 23, 1905—Rotary International organized in Chicago by Paul P. Harris.

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The Outdoor Center program committee is getting ready to open the swimming on Memorial Day, May 30th.

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# V.F.W. Post 1632 and Auxiliary Bulletin

By ANNA D. BISSONNETTE

## HOSPITAL NEWS

Betty Curran, Auxiliary Hospital chairman said it is anticipated that the new Hospital Bowling Alleys will be ready for use sometime in the middle of the month of March. Plan to have your organization compete with the patients and also to operate a Bowling League for both closed and open wards.

Social Activities at the V. A. Hospital in Northampton include: Bingo on March 6—Thursday by the VFW District #13; Burns Chorale on March 9, Sunday; Dance on March 13, Thursday by VFW Western County Council; Variety Show on March 17, Monday by the Jewish War Veterans—Post #26; Dance on March 20, Thursday by the American Red Cross; Dance on March 24, Monday by American Legion Aux. and Card Party in the Berkshire Room; Carnival on March 27, Thursday by the VFW Western County Council Auxiliary.

Other doings at the hospital include Chest X-rays for regularly scheduled volunteers. Save these dates—April 15th, Tuesday—VAVS Advisory Committee meeting 8-9 p.m. in Staff Room; May 6th, Tuesday, Orientation and Indoctrination course—7:30-9 p.m. in Recreation Hall; May 20th, Tuesday, annual VOLUNTEER AWARDS NIGHT, 8-9 p.m. Recreation Hall.

Sorry to lose David M. Bevers to the V. A. Hospital at Walla Walla, Washington as of March 22. He has accepted a new assignment as Director, and thanks all for their assistance here.

## BRIEFLY AROUND THE POST HOME

On Feb. 22, Sr. Vice Commander Ed Netkovich represented the Post at the William F. Davitt, #625, Chicopee in celebration of their anniversary.

On March 1, Roland Reed and Sr. Vice Comdr. Netkovich drove to Russell to attend a Past Com-

manders banquet at the General Knox Post #6645.

An audit of the Post books was completed by Toimi Tammi, Ed Netkovich and Dick Adelman at the Post Home.

Bringing refreshments when they entertained the patients at the Holyoke Soldiers Home on Wednesday, March 5, were Toimi Tammi, Ed Netkovich, Anna Bissonnette, Betty Curran and Tet Gimininanni.

Friday night snacks are still available at the Post Home for a small price. Come on down.

Happy Birthday to Rita and Ruth Hamilton on March 28th and many, many more... Betty Curran was lucky... Sympathy to the family of Muriel Adelman on the death of her Grandmother. We are sorry

NOMINATIONS for the new Post Officers will be held at the first regular meeting of the month of April 1969. ELECTION of new Post Officers will be held at the second meeting in April 1969. READ your Massachusetts VFW News for quoting Section #217 of the National Constitution and By-laws.

ATTENTION LADIES OF THE AUXILIARY... SPECIAL MEETING... March 11, second Tuesday of the month. Special Guest, District President Grace Kane. Please call Betty Curran and lend a hand with refreshments. Although she is Hospital-ity Chairman, we should all help.

ATTENTION — POST MEMBERS... On March 6, Thursday, Western County Council meeting at Post #6182, Springfield; March 19, District 7 meeting at the Barcomb-Trowbridge Post #6714, West Springfield.

Haven't seen hide nor hair of Ed Harpin, Mike Dunphy and Tom Dickinson but someone tells me they are well and getting about; Convalescing at home are Roland Ruelle, Mary Stellato and in Springfield Hospital Ida Bondi.

THIS WEEK'S little bit of PHILOSOPHY: Incivility is NOT a vice of the soul, but the effect of several vices; of VANITY, IGNORANCE of DUTY, LAZINESS, STUPIDITY, DISTRACTION, CONTEMPT of OTHERS and JEALOUSY. LaBruyere.

## South School PTA Meeting Wednesday

The regular meeting of South School Parent Teachers Association will be held on Wednesday the 12th, at 8 p.m.

Our speaker will be Rev. David J. Dean of Foster Memorial Church, whose topic will be "Teen age Problems in Suburbia."

Following a brief discussion period, refreshments will be served by the Hospitality Committee, headed by Mrs. Dale Mushrush.

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